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Because purely vegetable—yet thorough, prompt, healthful, satisfactory—

Hood's Pills

\$15.00, \$12.40, \$10.30, \$6.55.

These are the fares to Buffalo and return for the Pan-American Exposition via Chicago and Erie railroad. Stopovers allowed at Chautauqua Lake. F. C. McCoy, Agent.

If troubled with rheumatism, give Chamberlain's Pain-Balm a trial. It will not cost you a cent if it does no good. One application will relieve the pain. It also cures sprains and bruises in one-third the time required by any other treatment. Cuts, burns, frostbites, quinsy, pains in the side and chest, glandular and other swellings are quickly cured by applying it. Every bottle warranted. Price, 25 and 50 cents. Sold by all druggists. Each 1-4m.

LOW RATES TO THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR CONVENTION.

The C. H. & D. Ry. and its connections will sell tickets at half rate to Cincinnati and return on July 5th, 6th, and 7th, also on the 8th, from near by points on account of the Christian Endeavor Convention.

Edward Huss, a well known business man of Salisbury, Mo., writes: "I wish to say for the benefit of others, that I was a sufferer from lumbago and kidney trouble, and all the remedies I took gave me no relief. I was induced to try Foley's Kidney Cure, and after the use of three bottles, I am cured."

H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

4th OF JULY EXCURSIONS

On the Ohio Central Lines.

Anywhere and return at one fare for the round trip on the Ohio Central Lines. Tickets on sale Wednesday and Thursday, July 3d and 4th, good returning until July 5th. Tickets also on sale to points on connecting lines within 200 miles. d&wt

Allen Halverson of West Prairie, Wis., says: "People come ten miles to buy Foley's Kidney Cure" while J. A. Sperry of Helmer, Ind., says: "It is the medical wonder of the age."

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CHAUTAUQUA EXCURSIONS.

July 5th and 26th. The Chicago & Erie R. R. will sell tickets to Chautauqua Lake and return at one fare for the round trip on July 5th and 26th. Tickets good returning until August 6th and 27th. For information see agents or write F. C. McCoy, Agt. 115-ft

Seven Years in Bed. "Will wonders ever cease?" inquire the friends of Mrs. L. Pease, of Lawrence, Kan. They knew she had been unable to leave her bed in seven years on account of kidney and liver trouble, nervous prostration and general debility; but, "three bottles of Electric Bitters enabled me to walk," she writes, "and in three months I felt like a new person." Women suffering from headache, backache, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, fainting and dizzy spells will find it a priceless blessing. Try it. Satisfaction is guaranteed by H. F. Vorkamp. Only 50 cents.

Excursions to Columbus via Pennsylvania Lines.

July 8th and 9th, for State Democratic Convention of Ohio, excursion tickets to Columbus will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines; good returning until July 11th. d&wt

You may as well expect to run a steam engine without water as to find an active, energetic man with a torpid liver and you may know that his liver is torpid when he does not relish his food or feels dull and languid after eating, often has headache and sometimes dizziness. A few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will restore his liver to its normal functions, renew his vitality, improve his digestion and make him feel like a new man. Price, 25 cents. Sample free at Wm. M. Melville's drug store, old post office corner.

CASTORIA.

The mayor of Red Wing, Minn., has gone into a limited partnership with the saloonkeepers in that town with a view to securing the better observance of the ordinances, and the result of the experiment is being watched with interest.

NEW STYLES IN FIREWORKS

Some and Rockets Now Out of Date. Paraffin in Demand.

Set pieces will be the feature of the fireworks for this year's Fourth of July celebration not only in this vicinity, but throughout the country, says the New York Post. Dealers say that there has been a reaction against the aerial fireworks which have been the most important feature of the market ever since the World's Columbian exposition at Chicago. Fashions change as rapidly in fireworks as in clothes. The years preceding the World's fair were also years of set pieces. When the great exposition opened, however, the companies having the contracts for fireworks were confronted with the problem of providing pyrotechnics that could be seen by as many people as possible. The demand has changed.

Pictures of local celebrities are being ordered this year more than any other kind of design. With their orders the "celebration committees" throughout the country send cabinet photographs of mayors, representatives, oldest settlers and benefactors. It is often evident that the coming fall elections are not entirely ignored in these selections. No matter what the picture is, the manufacturer turns it over to a designer, of whom each firm has several. These men are competent artists, one in New York city being an associate of the Royal Academy. But, this particular branch of art concerns itself with only one thing—making a recognizable picture with as few lines as possible. If the sparks from a man's mustache are going to mingle with those from his lips and nose, the whole center of the face will be a blur and the design a failure.

Real novelties in the fireworks trade are few and far between. The "octopus bomb" was used for the first time at the Roosevelt demonstration at Madison Square Garden in the fall. It takes a novelty a year to go from this city to the west. Chicago just now is being denuded and nerve racked by the "double repeating torpedoes" which, in the hands of numberless small boys and fakirs, made day and night hideous in New York a year ago.

KIPLING AND HIS WORK.

Report That He Intends Returning to America—Interest in "Kim".

It is reported on what appears to be good authority that Mr. Kipling is soon to return to the United States and again take up his home at Naulahka, near Brattleboro, Vt., says the Philadelphia Press. Mr. Kipling has not been in the United States since his rather abrupt departure in the fall of 1897, after the trouble with his brother-in-law, which has now become a matter of literary history.

The earlier installments of Kipling's "Kim," now appearing as a serial in one of the magazines, is meeting with most favorable criticism, especially on the other side of the water. The London Academy pronounces it the strongest piece of work which he has yet done. The present publishers announce unofficially that it will run to over 150,000 words. Much of the interest in the story, both here and abroad, arises from a desire on the part of the critics to see just what Mr. Kipling can do with a long novel. "The Naulahka" and "The Light That Failed" were both of them elongated short stories rather than novels, and the same might be said of "Captains Courageous," which was referred to by the literary critic of the New York Sun at the time of its appearance as "a brilliantly elaborated incident."

"Kim" is a novel in every sense of the word. If common report is to be believed, Mr. Kipling has always wished to get at something of this sort, and early in his career even began work on two such attempts, neither of which was ever completed. One of the books was to have been called "An Officer and a Gentleman" and the other "Mother Matruin."

"LOCK STEP" ABANDONED.

New System of Convict Marching Benefits Prison Discipline.

Superintendent of New York State Prisons Collins inaugurated about a year ago a new method of marching for the first term convicts in the several prisons to supplant the obnoxious "lock step," says an Albany dispatch to the New York Times. This system proved so satisfactory that it has been gradually extended to all grades of prisoners as rapidly as they could be drilled. A telegram was received at the prison department in Albany the other morning from Captain Parke, instructor, announcing the fact that all grades in every prison are now marching in the new order.

Mr. Collins says that the new system has more disciplinary effect than the lock step. The drill to which the men are subjected tends to give them a more erect and manly bearing, and the different companies vie with each other in their efforts to reach the greatest proficiency in drill and to make the best appearance.

Marconi's Russian Rival.

Colonel Pilsodski of the Russian army repeated a few days ago his experiments with his new system of wireless telegraphy before a committee of French experts, says the New York World's Paris correspondent. The experts say it is superior to Marconi's methods, except for sea telegraphy. Colonel Pilsodski proved that electric waves are transmitted with more intensity through the ground than through the air. The experiments showed that instruments of insignificant power transmit with perfect clearness at a distance of one kilometer (about three-fifths of a mile) messages which could affect an aerial receiving station only one-fifth of the distance. The inventor claims that the distance of ground transmission is unlimited.

A Girl With GPH

Will "go" until she drops, and think she's doing rather a fine thing. Very often the future shows her that she was laying the foundation for years of misfortune. When the back aches, when there is irregularity or any other womanly ailment, then the first duty a woman owes to herself is to find a cure for her ailments.

The use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription in cases of womanly disease will insure a prompt restoration to sound health. It regulates the periods, stops unhealthy drains, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It makes weak women strong, sick women well.

Sick women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter, free of charge. All correspondence absolutely private and confidential. In his thirty years' and over of medical practice Dr. Pierce, assisted by his staff of nearly a score of physicians, has treated and cured more than half a million women. Address Dr. R. W. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

"I will drop you a few lines to let you know that I am feeling well now," writes Miss Annie Stephens, of Belleville, Wood Co., West Va. "I feel like a new woman. I took several bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and of the 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I have no headache now, and no more pain in my side or hearing-down pain any more. I think that there is no medicine like Dr. Pierce's medicine."

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, in paper covers is sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Address Dr. R. W. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

ONE-WAY SETTLERS' RATES

Via Ohio Central Lines.

On the first and third Tuesdays of each month special low rates, one way Settlers' Tickets will be sold by agents of the Ohio Central Lines to points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia.

For full particulars, rates, routes, etc., call on any agent of Ohio Central Lines, or address nearest passenger representative below: John Moores, T. P. Agent, Findlay, O. S. G. Harvey, Pass. Agent, Toledo, O. D. J. Carvo, Pass. Agent, Toledo, O. W. A. Peters, Pass. Agent, Columbus, O. E. E. Heiner, Pass. Agent, Charleston, W. Va. 104-d&w16t

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

EXCURSION

Rates for Fourth of July Trips.

Excursion tickets will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines for Fourth of July trips. They may be obtained July 3d and 4th at any ticket station on the Pennsylvania Lines west of Pittsburgh to any other station on those lines within a radius of 200 miles. Return coupons will be good until July 5th, inclusive. For particulars about rates and time of trains, apply to Pennsylvania Lines passenger and ticket agents.

Mr. W. S. Whedon, cashier of the First National Bank of Winterest, Iowa, in a recent letter gives some experience with a carpenter in his employ, that will be of value to other merchants. He says: "I had a carpenter working for me who was obliged to stop work for several days on account of being troubled with diarrhoea. I mentioned to him that I had been similarly troubled and that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy had cured me. He bought a bottle of it from the druggist here and informed me that one dose cured him, and he is again at his work." For sale by all druggists.

On May 17 Alfonso XIII, celebrated his fifteenth birthday. His Majesty is the only sovereign in the world who was a king on the day of his birth, but another year will have to elapse before he is old enough to govern in his own right.

Didn't Marry for Money.

The Boston man, who lately married a sickly rich young woman, is happy now, for he got Dr. King's New Life Pills, which restored her to perfect health. Infalible for jaundice, biliousness, malaria, fever and ague and all liver and stomach troubles. Gentle but effective. Only 25c at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store.

When at home among their constituents.

Senator Cockrell, of Missouri, smokes a cornucopia pipe, and Senator Daniel, of Virginia, sits on a store box in front of a grocery and whittles.

QUICK RELIEF FOR ASTHMA.

Miss Maude Dickens, Parsons, Kans., writes: "I suffered eight years with asthma in its worst form. I had several attacks during the last year and was not expected to live through them. I began using Foley's Money and Tar and it has never failed to give immediate relief." H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

WOMAN'S WORLD.

A BEAUTIFUL SOUTHERN GIRL'S SUCCESS AS A MODEL.

The Tennessee Federation Stationery in Diplomatic Circles—Pleasure Life in Summer—Women as Speculators—Warms Weather Diet.

Photographic models, rarely found and hard to get, are ever in demand, and the most recent of Philadelphia models to achieve success, Miss Edith Worden, is a model found by accident. Indeed she is a model by accident.

Photographic posing requires a different style of work from that of the painter. It is the pose of an instant as against the continued pose of the model before the painter. It calls for a command of feature, an expression of eye, a direction of figure—all blended into the one effect and all ready at the instant, for the eye of the lens is open sometimes only for the briefest fraction of a second, and everything is there at once, good and bad alike.

Miss Worden is a brunette of rather full figure, but without any suggestion of stoutness. She is about 19 years old. She is a southern girl, a native of Georgia, a descendant of an old family, like many other southern families, no longer in the enjoyment of opulence.

In the picture there can be seen that placidity of feature and countenance which the quieter agricultural life and conditions of the south carry with them, for Miss Worden was reared



MISS EDITH WORDEN.

on a Georgia plantation in the luxury that prevails there and amid the scenes of quiet and comfort now fast becoming memories even far south of Mason and Dixon's line. She traveled in Europe when yet a girl, studying music in Italy, but becoming rather more decidedly interested in art.

But accident revealed her usefulness as a model. The use of the features and figures of handsome women in advertisements and labels had created a demand for women who can pose before the camera—by no means an easy or trifling task—and models qualified for the art are rare. It was on a visit to a photographic art studio in Philadelphia that Miss Worden secured her opportunity.

The regular model who had been expected to pose for a "large order" was detained, and the photographer was almost beside himself with vexation and thought and then suggested that perhaps she might make an effort to take her place.

The suggestion was eagerly grasped. Miss Worden was introduced into the room where hung the costumes of the other model and told how to array herself. It was a rare piece of good fortune that the costumes were a fit. And the model was thus made.

Miss Worden is of medium height, about 5 feet 4 inches tall, with black, lustrous hair, not of the silky, but rather of the Italian, character, straight and long, and with remarkably long eyelashes. Her pictures have taken the artistic world by storm and are in eager demand in every direction. Miss Worden's engagements are now numerous, and there is assurance about work for many months.—Philadelphia Times.

The Tennessee Federation.

The Tennessee State Federation has in circulation 26 traveling libraries. These are sent to the mountain districts where books are scarce or entirely wanting and are doing a work where importance and value are scarcely to be estimated. At the recent annual meeting of the federation, held at Harpim by invitation of the Women's club of that place, the report of this committee was received with great interest. It was with details of the work. At the same meeting Mrs. Florence Kelley, secretary of the National Consumers' league, gave an address on the "Morals of Shopping," which was an account of the methods of the league's work. So convinced was the convention of its duty in the direction that it endorsed the work of the Consumers' league and voted to recommend to each individual club in its constituency the setting aside of a club day for the study of this subject.

The federation is greatly interested in educational matters. Believing that compulsory education will reduce the illiteracy of the state, the clubs have worked toward this end, and a compulsory education bill is now pending before the state legislature, having been prepared and presented by the federation. In connection with the convention an industrial exhibit of state work was held. The display was

both beautiful and utilitarian in character and was extremely creditable. Many sales resulted, and numerous orders were taken for duplicates.

Stationery in Diplomatic Circles.

In the diplomatic circles of Washington some very gorgeous stationery is used which bears various emblems of prominent women. The wife of the Austrian minister, Baroness Hangelmuller, has stationery which is truly remarkable. The colors of the paper and ink are more striking than the designs employed. Green, yellow, red and purple paper she has used and violet or red ink. The paper also has a border of some contrasting shade. For private notes the baroness uses her first name, Marita, stamped across the top of the sheet and for formal correspondence the crest of the Hangelmullers, which is 200 years old. Countess Cassini, niece of the Russian ambassador, uses a Russian crown with a monogram beneath it. The first secretary of the Russian embassy uses a heraldic device consisting of a shield, helmet and eagle's wings.

Mrs. McKinley uses the White House stationery, which is always white, with "Executive mansion" stamped on it in gold and silver. Mrs. Roosevelt uses a simple monogram of the family initials. Mrs. Cleveland follows a simple style, using the initials "E. F. C." Mrs. Hanna also uses her own initials. Mrs. Long, wife of the secretary of the navy, uses "A. L." in ribbon upon her stationery. Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins employs a very odd device, consisting of a small ink stamped in gold, with letters "ins." Another queer emblem is that of Mrs. Logan, widow of General John A. Logan. It includes her initials with hearts and crowns all printed in purple. Mrs. Phoebe Hearst uses plain white paper with her initials, "T. A. H." stamped in gold and silver.

Plazza Life in Summer.

We in America are coming to understand the importance of outdoor life. The real poetry of summer is well nigh lost unless one can come in contact with trees, grass and flowers. True country life has none from this delight, but in villages and suburban towns its limit is fixed by the space devoted to the piazza.

The importance of this portion of the house should be duly recognized before the plans are out of the architect's hands and the three essentials for the correct location—exposure, privacy and outlook—be as carefully considered as its construction and relation to the main building. In some instances even the conventional rule for attaching the piazza to that portion of the house that faces the street should not be followed, the interior plans being reversed in order to bring the living room and porch at the rear.

There is one opportunity afforded by a broad piazza of which we are slow to take advantage. We might take more of our meals al fresco. One of the most fascinating things about living abroad is that in summer one may dine often out of doors. We should import the custom into this country, for it is a good one, and then to the delights of long evenings on our piazza we should have added that greater pleasure of sitting down to tea or to luncheon with nature herself.—Alice M. Kellogg in Woman's Home Companion.

Women as Speculators.

After the big stock market crash recently a few firms on the Consolidated Exchange were obliged to suspend, and it was said that their misfortunes were partly due to the failure of their women customers to respond to the call for extra margins. One firm that suspended was found to have a room especially for women customers, with a young woman clerk who glibly read off the ticker quotations, with running advice, to her listeners as to what were "good things."

Many women "follow the market" and are plungers to the limit of their means, and many brokers cater to their trade. They are always attracted to the market during a long upward movement, when it seems so easy to make money. It is said, however, that as a class they are not as good losers as men and that they are likely to be beaten and distressed when the slump comes. They are also somewhat unreasonable and wonder why their broker did not get out without instructions or give them warning or do other improbable things just before the crash. They are also slow to flit away from the "street" when their brokers are calling for extra margins. On the other hand, many women are alert, businesslike and successful, honor calls for margins, trade cautiously and are very desirable customers indeed.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Warm Weather Diet.

"It is astounding," said a physician to the writer, "how little thought the people give to their food in relation to various seasons of the year. To this very careless season I lay much summer sickness, often an illness that ends fatally. Take the matter of leftovers. It is a warning bush, ragout or meat pie is all right for the depth of winter, but not for weather when the blood needs cooling. I would entreat every housekeeper not to buy a morsel of pork, ham or sausage from June till October. Reserve even beef, lamb and veal for the cooler days of summer, and in long hot spells let meat alone entirely. Nature provides for these burning days with vegetables and fruit, tender chicken and fine, firm, white-fleshed fish. If you have left over foods to be utilized, convert them into chilled, appetizing salads instead of ragouts. If soups are a necessity, let them be this—consomme or chicken soup, not purées or bisques. Let fruit, ices, delicate jellies or milk puddings take their place. I'd also put a veto on hot breads. If people could turn an X ray on the poor, overworked stomachs I'm called to care for all summer."

may long and see the mischief done by overeating and eating things that have no business to be cooked in hot weather; they would realize I and speaking earnest truth."—Good Housekeeping.

Chicago's Woman Street Inspector.

Mrs. Horatio N. May is the first of Chicago's representative women to accept the office of volunteer inspector of streets and alleys in her precinct. It will be her duty to make frequent trips through the streets and alleys, investigate the garbage boxes, see that every house is provided with metallic cans for ashes and waste and in general urge the enforcement of the municipal cleanliness ordinance. Mrs. Potter Palmer was offered a similar appointment, but declined it, as she will be absent from the city this summer. Mrs. May is a public spirited woman, a member of the Episcopal church, a lover of art and an extensive traveler. She comes of an old Chicago family. Her father, the late John L. Wilson, was one of the first managers of the Chicago Journal and a pioneer of Chicago. Her husband, Horatio N. May, was for six years a Lincoln park commissioner and for two years city comptroller. It was during the early part of his service as park commissioner that Mrs. May first took an active part in public affairs. Mr. May died two years ago.

For Elderly Women.

In the mixed Oxford suitings in dark gray and black are a number of different qualities that make up well in coat and skirt, and it is just as necessary for an older woman to have a coat and skirt costume as for a young girl. The skirt is best that has a daring bounce at the side and a front breadth narrower at the top than at the bottom and with skirt of medium length. The jacket should always be three-quarter length and with straight fronts with pointed revers and fronts faced with some dull silk so that the coat can be worn open if desired. If a woman is stout, she should have her coat made rather shapeless and with box back, with a seam in the middle, and at the sides curved in somewhat to the figure. This being more becoming than a tight fitting jacket. In black wool a light weight material made in this way, with the flounce trimmed with bands or folds of satin, makes a smart gown.—Harper's Bazar.

Can't Vote in California.

A decision has been rendered by Superior Judge Sloss declaring that women have no right to vote in California. The decision was on the test case brought by Mrs. Ellen C. Sargent, widow of former United States Senator Aaron A. Sargent, who asked the right to vote because she was a taxpayer and in event of refusal pleaded for a return of the taxes paid. The judge held that the California law made no stipulation for woman suffrage, even in city or town elections, and that the legislature and not the court was the proper body to give relief to the plaintiff. He held that the denial of the right of suffrage to women is not an invasion of any right guaranteed to them by the constitution of the United States.

Landscape Gardening for Women.

Landscape gardening is a calling that must be learned the same as any other. A young man would be expected to devote some years to its study and practice before he could be entrusted with the commission of work of much importance, and there is no reason why less should be expected of a woman. Good work is demanded, and in order to meet the demand there must be thorough knowledge of all its details, and this can only come through practical experience. If a woman has aptitude for the profession and is willing to serve an apprenticeship at it, as a man must, there is no reason why she should not undertake the work provided she is physically strong.—Eben E. Rexford in Ladies' Home Journal.

Woman Suffrage in Norway.

After consultation both the lagting and the edething (the upper and lower houses of the Norwegian parliament) have passed a bill providing for the universal communal suffrage for men and giving suffrage to women paying taxes on an annual minimum income of 300 kroner (\$80.40) in rural districts and 400 kroner (\$107.20) in towns or owning property jointly with their husbands who pay taxes on such incomes.

A Woman Philosopher.

Miss Cora Kimball of Monticello, Ga., was recently admitted to membership in the Southeastern Philologists' association. Miss Kimball is the only woman member of the organization, the rules having been suspended to admit her. She was formerly a kindergarten teacher, but was compelled to change her occupation on account of weak eyesight.

A thin, silky voile in nickel gray is a charming material. The gown in mind has three ruffles on the skirt, headed with many lines of fine silver cord. The blouse is shirred in bands, with clusters of cords between the shirrs. There are a collar and jacket sides of lace, embroidered with silver, and a narrow front and waistband of pink silk.

Do not be frightened if a child is bitten or stung by insects. The little face may be damp and distorted as grief itself, but apply a few drops of ammonia and exclude the air with a pinch of flour, and the trouble is soon over.

Mrs. P. D. Armour, Sr., has founded a free cooking school for the young women of Chicago by giving the whole equipment of the domestic science department of Armour Institute, which is now affiliated with Chicago university.

Dr. Legrix of the French Academy of Medicine laments the growth of smoking among women. He says the practice leads to disease and death.

Dr. Fenner's Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic.

Biliousness, Constipation, Headaches, Dizziness, Old Sores, Erysipelas, Liver Complaint, Skin Eruptions, Scrofula, "Blues," etc.

For sale by Druggists everywhere. See at.

ST. VITUS' DANCE.

A rare cure with testimonials to M. M. Fenner, Frederick, Md.

EXCURSION TO TOLEDO.

The C. H. & D. will run an excursion to Toledo and return on Sunday next. Round trip \$1.25.

The play of "Hamlet" has furnished titles for over forty novels, and "You Like It" ten. In all 122 books have taken names from Shakespeare's works.

NOTICE TO BOND BUYERS.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Clerk of Lima, Ohio, until 1 o'clock noon of Monday, July 1st, and opened immediately thereafter, for the purchase of \$4,200 worth (par value) of bonds known and designated as the City of Lima Street Grading Bonds of the City of Lima, Ohio, issued in anticipation of the collection of a special assessment and very to be used to pay the costs of improving West Elm street from West street to City street, by grading same.

Said bonds shall mature as follows: Jan. 1st, 1902—\$1,060; July 1st, 1902—\$1,060; Jan. 1st, 1903—\$1,060; July 1st, 1903—\$1,060.

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of four and one-half percent per annum, payable semi-annually, principal and interest payable at the office of the City Treasurer in Lima, Ohio, and no bid will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check on a Lima, Ohio, bank, and payable to the City Clerk, in sum of at least five (5) per cent of the amount of bonds bid for. Should the bidder to whom such bonds are awarded refuse or neglect to accept such bonds and pay to the City of Lima the amount of said bid within twenty days of such award, then said deposit will be retained by said city as liquidated damages for such failure.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

By order of Council. C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 10449. Page 559.

Ex. Doc. V. John Long, plaintiff.

Patrick Long, et al., defendants.

Allen Common Pleas. By virtue of a writ of sale in partition, issued from the court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, June 29, A. D. 1901,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the city of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Tract number one: Inlot number forty-two hundred and seventy-three (4273) in the city of Lima, Ohio; appraised at four hundred and twenty-five (\$425.00) dollars.

Tract number two: Inlot number forty-two hundred and sixty-six (4266) in McCullough's addition to the city of Lima, Ohio; appraised at four hundred (\$400.00) dollars.

Tract number three: Commencing at a point in the south line forty-eight (48) feet, six (6) inches, west of the south east corner of inlot number nine hundred and fifty-six (956) in Nichol's addition to the town, now city of Lima, Ohio; thence north parallel with the east line of said lot, to a point in the north line of said lot; thence west on said north line to a point forty-nine (49) feet; thence south parallel with the east line of said lot to a point on the south line of said lot; thence east on said south line, forty-nine feet to a place of beginning; appraised at four hundred and seventy-five (\$475.00) dollars.

Terms of sale: One-third (1-3) cash, balance in equal payments in one and two years bearing interest at six percent per annum and secured by mortgage on the premises sold.

Tract number one and number two, are situated on

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Edward is a "Hot Air" Artist.

Is Interviewed

In London by Congressman Henderson

And Gives the Speaker of the House a Jolly That is Very Amusing.

Body of General Von Schwartz-Koff, Who was Burned to Death in Peking Now Enroute to Berlin.

London, June 27.—David B. Henderson, speaker of the United States house of representatives, said in an interview "I have never enjoyed a more agreeable half hour interview than the one I had with King Edward. He was perfectly frank and agreeable and in accord with American progress. He looks forward to even more cordial relations than now exist between the English-speaking nations. America may depend upon the fact that she has no more cordial friend in the world than King Edward. While the details of our conversation may not be repeated, I can assure my American friends that England may be depended upon in any ordinary controversy which may arise between America and the rest of the world."

Congressman Charles W. Gillett of New York who accompanied Mr. Henderson, also said "We go to Skibo castle to visit Mr. Carnegie at the end of the week, and from there we go to the continent. We expect to return to America in September. We have been everywhere treated with the greatest kindness, and can say that the cordiality extended to us has exceeded anything we could have anticipated."

With Military Honors.

Berlin, June 27.—The body of General Von Schwartzkopff, formerly commander of the German army at Peking, will be received with great military honors when the North German Lloyd steamer Wilhelms, from Hogo April 22, arrives at Bremerhaven. The body of the general will be conveyed to Berlin where a mourning parade will take place.

DeGiers to Be Translated.

Berlin, June 27.—A special dispatch from St. Petersburg says M. DeGiers, the Russian minister to China, will shortly be recalled from Peking, where he has shown inaptitude. The dispatch further announces that M. DeGiers will be sent to Munich and that his successor at Peking will be M. Paul Lassar, who is an anglophile.

Koch Will Be There.

Berlin, June 27.—Dr. Robert Koch, the bacteriologist, Professor von Leyden and Fraenkel and about 100 German hygienists and specialists, will attend the tuberculosis congress to be held in London July 22 to 26. Dr. Koch will relate before the congress the startling results he has recently achieved with tuberculosis.

Mexican Murderer Confessed.

City of Mexico, June 27.—One of the arrested men suspected of complicity in the murder of Robert Remont, a British subject, engaged in mining at Zacualpan, state of Mexico, has confessed and gives the names of the leader of the band of assassins. The motive was robbery and not revenge.

South American Arbitration.

Managua, Nicaragua, June 27.—Senator Chocano, representing Peru, Bolivia and Argentina in declaring that arbitration should be obligatory, is expected in Nicaragua soon to advocate her cooperation in the matter. France and Nicaragua are negotiating a treaty of commerce.

Surprised by the Emperor.

Berlin, June 27.—Emperor William's granting of the Prussian "ordre pour le Mérite" to Professor Julius Wellhausen has caused much surprise here, because Professor Wellhausen is the most radical of German Bible critics and politically an extreme Leftist.

Statement by President Thomas.

New York, June 27.—After a conference President Thomas of the Seventh National bank gave out the following statement: "This bank has met all its obligations in due course and is conducting its business in the usual manner. There has been no run on the bank and no undue pressure. Indeed, the manifestations of confidence on the part of its depositors has been most gratifying."

THE BREACH WIDENS

Between the Striking Machinists and Employers in Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, June 27.—The controversy between the manufacturers and machinists over the wage scale grows more bitter day by day. The men are maintaining a vigilant watch over the factories to prevent outsiders from taking their positions and several minor disturbances have occurred in the past two days. The business men are becoming interested, and will make an effort to have the differences between the employers and the men arbitrated.

FOR FIVE YEARS
Barker is Sentenced to Serve in Prison at Hard Labor.

Jersey City, N. J., June 27.—Judge Blair this morning sentenced Thomas G. Barker to the state prison for five years at hard labor for attempting to kill Rev. Keller at Arlington, on February 2d.

Barker's counsel, after sentence was pronounced, filed a notice of appeal. This will act as stay and pending the decision on the appeal Barker may be committed to bail.

MURDERER

Claims the Deed was in Self Defense.

John Considine Interviewed in Seattle Jail.

Says Meredith Attacked Him Because His Attorneys Has Demanded the Retraction of Statements.

Seattle, Wash., June 27.—When interviewed in the county jail John W. Considine, who shot and killed ex-chief of police W. L. Meredith, said: "My attorneys wrote to Meredith that he must retract the statements he had made which reflected on my character, or I would sue for libel. It was that letter which made him attack me."

The making of a mob was formed among Meredith's friends and talk was made of attacking the jail. A committee waited upon the newspapers and asked for support, but was warned that the law must take its course, and the sheriff was put on his guard. Thereafter the matter was dropped.

An examination of Meredith's skull showed that the blows delivered by Tom Considine would have produced death in a short time even if he had not been shot by John Considine.

REVENUE STAMPS
Need Not Be Placed on Checks and Telegrams After Monday.

Washington, June 27.—A new war revenue measure takes effect Monday, July 1st. The public is only directly affected by relief from putting stamps on checks and telegrams. Those having stamps in an amount more than \$2 can have the same redeemed.

MORE DAMAGE DONE

By Cloudbursts in the Already Devastated Elkhorn Valley.

TEMPORARY WORK
On the Railways Was Destroyed By Last Night's Storm.

Bluefield, W. Va., June 27.—Last night's storm which swept over the already storm devastated Elkhorn Valley, did an immense amount of damage, but there was no loss of life, so far as is known resulted. All temporary work on the railways was destroyed and traffic, in consequence, will be delayed another week. The people engaged in the work have plenty of supplies and will not need outside aid as the corporations for which they work are taking care of them.

Kenyon Commencement.

Gambier, O., June 27.—Senator Hanna and Governor Nash participated prominently in the commencement exercises of Kenyon college. The senator at the annual luncheon announced that he would give \$50,000 to the institution for the building of a dormitory. A year ago Kenyon college bestowed the degree of doctor of laws on Senator Hanna. This gift is an acknowledgment of the honor conferred by the college. President Pierce announced that the sum of \$100,000 had been raised as an endowment during the past year. At Senator Hanna's request the new dormitory will be called the "political barracks."

IRON

Heated and Molten Streamed Upon the Men

Who Were at Work in a Foundry.

Every Man in the Department was Burned, Three of Them Fatally.

Dynamite Shell was Placed in the Furnace With Scrap Iron and Explosion Wrecked the Cupola.

Chicago, June 27.—Caught in streams of molten metal which poured into the cupola room of the American Car and Foundry company, seven workmen were fearfully burned, three of them fatally.

The explosion of a dynamite shell which had been placed in the cupola with scrap iron caused the accident. When the shell had been heated it burst breaking the walls of the cupola, the molten metal streaming forth in all directions. Not one of the men in the room escaped the white-hot metal.

Thomas C. Clark, foreman of the cupola room, died on the way to the hospital.

Frank Balcer's skull was fractured and his entire body was burned. He will die.

Michael Smeniale's entire body was burned by metal and both legs were broken, can not recover.

Seriously injured Charles Brown, scrap wounds and burned about body, Frank Diedo, arm broken and burned about face and head, William Burke, body burned, John Sefek, body burned and leg broken.

The Weather.

Washington, June 27.—Ohio general fair tonight and Friday.

KNIVES
Were Drawn by Frenzied Passengers

When the Ill Fated Lusitania Struck the Rocks.

Fought Like Fiends to Reach the Life Boats But Were Stopped by the Gallant Crew.

St. Johns, N. F., June 27.—Passengers aboard the steamer Lusitania, which grounded on a reef off Cape Ballard, had a terrible experience. The vessel was bound from Liverpool June 18 for Montreal and had about 500 people aboard. The first knowledge the passengers had of the disaster was when, owing to the ship running over the rocks, they were hurled from their berths by the shock. A scene of great excitement ensued. The male passengers in their attempt to seize the boats trampled the women under foot, and a few fought the crew with knives. Some of the more cool headed of the passengers assisted the crew in the efforts to get out the boats. The women and children, almost nude, were pulled up the cliffs by the coast people. All were rescued and brought here.

Accused of Robbing the Dead.

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MORE PROSPERITY
For America That Hanna Will Claim Credit For.

New York, June 27.—A Paris dispatch to the Herald says that Secretary Green, of the American Chamber of Commerce, has prepared a report on the grain crop of France, which shows that there will be a shortage of nearly thirty-five million bushels of wheat. France will have to buy American wheat to supply the deficit.

Verdict Not Satisfactory.

Manila, June 27.—Harold M. Pitt, manager of Evans & company, government contractors, who has been on trial on charges of improperly purchasing government stores was acquitted. Four other purchasers of commissary stores were found guilty and fined \$1,000 each. Pitt was acquitted by a military court composed of volunteer officers. Provost Marshal Davis considers Pitt was convicted on his own admissions and has ordered a reconsideration of the verdict. These sentenced were Clarke and Boldt, a Spaniard named Riva and a Chinaman, Wang Ting.

Surrendered and Captured.

Washington, June 27.—The war department has published a list of captures and surrenders in the Philippine Islands supplementary to the list published June 15. It shows that the total number of Filipinos captured or surrendered up to May 15 was 37,948.

Ruthven's Wife Wants to Die.

Columbus, O., June 27.—Lizzie Ruthven, wife of Edwin Ruthven, who is to be electrocuted at the penitentiary annex the night of June 28, cut three slight gashes across her throat in an attempt to commit suicide. While the wounds were being dressed she declared she preferred to die. She is serving a six-year sentence in the female department of the penitentiary from Cleveland for receiving stolen goods, and had her last interview with her condemned husband Tuesday.

Convict's Reward For Bravery.

Topeka, June 27.—Frank J. Ostrander of Wyandotte was given a parole pardon by Governor Stanley as a reward for courage and services in the recent coal mine mutiny at the Kansas penitentiary. Ostrander climbed half way up the shaft and reached the carriage. He was then pulled up and told the officers the condition of affairs in the mine.

It Was Not a Joke.

Sandusky, O., June 27.—Emanuel Schnell, 25, was drowned in the bay. He was in a rowboat with John West and the boat capsized. They shouted for help, but no people thought they were joking. West was in the water one hour, and when picked up was nearly dead.

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U. S. GOVERNMENT

Will Make a Demand Upon Cuba for Four Sites for Naval Stations.

Washington, June 27.—Demands will be made upon the Cuban government when it is established for naval station sites in Nipe Bay, Guantanamo Bay, Cienfuegos harbor, and Havana harbor. These are locations selected from notes of the survey made by the gunboats Vixen and Yankton, which have completed their work. Selections were made as widely apart east and west, north and south, as formation of the coast would permit.

FIVE

Long Years in Exile to be Served

By the Marquis

Who was Mixed Up in the Dreyfus Affair.

During the Trial Two Members of the Court Exchanged Hot Shots

And as a Result They Will Fight a Duel in the Near Future—The Marquis Left Paris Immediately.

Paris, June 27.—Before the senate, which sitting as a high court the Marquis de Lur Saluces, who was tried on a charge of treason incidental to the Dreyfus case, was found guilty with extenuating circumstances, and was sentenced to five years' banishment. The trial was concluded amid the general indifference of the spectators. The Marquis was voted guilty of conspiracy by 71 to 51, and he was sentenced to banishment by a vote of 72 to 25. He left Paris at once. After the speech made by his counsel and before the Marquis was condemned, M. Fallieres, the president of the court, asked the Marquis if he had anything to say, to which the latter replied that prescription or imprisonment mattered little to him. He added "I will always be able to say to my children your father kept his honor unstained."

During the secret deliberation M. Auloin spoke strongly in favor of condemning the Marquis. These remarks led Senator Provost De Launay to interrupt the speaker, calling him a clown. M. Auloin retorted with equal indignance epithets and as a result seconds were appointed with a view to a duel between M. Auloin and M. De Launay. This duel promises to be the only sensational development of the trial.

To Buy the Denver.

St. Louis, June 27.—The stockholders of the Missouri Pacific have decided to increase the capital to thirty million. This money will be used in the purchase of the Denver & Rio Grand property.

THE COAL TRUST

Wants to Get Control of Valuable Coal Lands in Pennsylvania.

New York, June 27.—The suspension of the Seventh National is said to be indirectly the result of a squeeze by the coal trust, the banks troubles being brought about by Marquand & company, a very rich concern, which has eight million tied up in coal lands. For two years the coal combination has been after Marquand & Co., trying to prevent the completion of the Pittsburgh Shawmut and Northern railway, which would open up 35,000 acres of independent coal lands in Pennsylvania. While the bank has been forced to suspend, Marquand & Co. have so far weathered the storm but make no secret that they have been hard pressed. With Marquand & Co. knocked out, the coal trust would get those coal lands at their own value.

GRIM DEATH

Will Furnish the Divorce She'll Wait.

Only Difference Will be That the Undertaker Will Beat the Lawyer to the Fees.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 27.—Jessie Conley, a music teacher, has sued her husband for a divorce because he smokes forty cigarettes daily. She says he well knows she objected to such practice, and that he annoyed her by holding her head in his hands, and blowing smoke in her face.

Grain Market.

Chicago, June 27.—Closing July wheat, 67%; corn 43%; oats 26%; pork 14.40.

HOME

From the Philippine Islands.

On Transports

Volunteer Regiments Arrive at 'Frisco.

Col. Heistand Returns to Washington to Answer to Charges.

Seven Regiments are Now at the Presidio Military Post anxiously Waiting to be Mustered Out.

San Francisco, June 27.—The United States transports Thomas and Buford have arrived from Manila. The Thomas brought 33 officers and 371 men, composing the 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122nd, 123rd, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132nd, 133rd, 134th, 135th, 136th, 137th, 138th, 139th, 140th, 141st, 142nd, 143rd, 144th, 145th, 146th, 147th, 148th, 149th, 150th, 151st, 152nd, 153rd, 154th, 155th, 156th, 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NEWS

Of the City Across the River.

The South Side

Provides Its Usual Budget of Notes

That are of Interest to South
Siders and Citizens
Generally.

The Self Denial Dollar Social at the
South Side Church of Christ
Proves an Interesting
Event.

Quite a large audience was present at the self denial party held at the south Lima Christian church last night. A number of the church members donated one dollar each for the benefit of the church at the time of presentation relating in what manner the money was earned by a personal denial. Some of the experiences of several other features marked the evening as one of much pleasure. The proceeds of the novel arrangement will materially increase the church funds.

The friends of Mrs. Bishop, who has been quite ill a considerable time at the home of Mrs. Huffman, on west Vine street, will be pleased to learn she has completely recovered from a long severe illness.

Completing a visit with relatives at west Cairo, Mrs. Dr. J. P. Mell, has returned to her home on east Vine street.

Visiting in south Lima the past several days, Wm. Umbaugh, has gone to his home in Ada.

Combining business with pleasure in this community for a brief period, D. S. Hartwell, returned to his Ada home.

To attend the funeral of Mrs. Rhoda Seiffert, at Wapakoneta, Jacob Seiffert, of St. Johns avenue, accompanied by his wife, left for that place this morning.

Mrs. David O'Rourke and son Scott, of south Pine street, are home after a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coott, of St. Wayne. While their Master Scott O'Rourke took part in the Elk's parade.

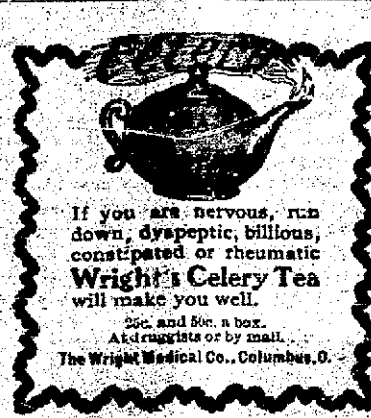
This afternoon the appraisal of the grocery stock of T. P. Jones on south Main street was commenced by L. J. Shockey, William Yazell and G. A. Herrett. J. T. Tabler has been appointed trustee. He will proceed immediately with the disposition of the matters of his trust.

A large crowd attended the live bird shoot at the traps of the south Lima Winchester Gun club south of town today. Some crack shots participated who with the local marksmen, with others within and out of town made the contest interesting.

Today's shoot consisted of ten events. Some good records were made. The scores made by resident competitors shows a marked improvement over showings made in similar events.

This morning John Thompson, Sr., of south Main street, left for a business trip to Cincinnati.

Working in south Lima this morning, Mack McPherson, of south Union street, had his right foot painfully smashed by a heavy piece of iron falling upon it. He was removed to his home where the injury was dressed by a physician. The victim of the



accident will be unable to leave his home for some time.

A former clerk at Mell's pharmacy, S. H. Piper, of St. Louis, visited with his old employer yesterday.

Plenty of new and old potatoes at Crossley Brothers, 715 south Main street.

Yesterday Miss Mollie Fenwick left for Hillsboro, where she will spend a several weeks vacation.

A former south Lima citizen, Rev. J. D. Lawrence, of Burkettville, was calling upon old friends in this vicinity yesterday. He was the special guest of Rev. Mitchell, of east Kibby street. Mr. Lawrence has only been in his present charge several months but has accomplished great results. He has been offered more important changes but prefers to remain with the Burkettville church, which will continue to improve.

Nice kettle rendered lard ten cents a pound at Crossley Brothers, 715 south Main street.

Owing to the precarious illness of her mother Mrs. William Gallout, of McPherson avenue, has gone to Bluffton.

Attending the Epworth League convention at Van Wert, Robert Cox returned home last night.

You can get fresh smoked sausage at Crossley Brothers, 715 south Main street.

By a letter recently received by Jno. Linderman, he is informed that his Second street, he is informed that his sons Edward and William, who have been in active service in the Philippines the past two years will return home the early part of July. The Fourth regiment, including troop K, with which they are connected has been ordered mustered out. The boys are delighted with the prospect of returning home. Their father is also pleased to know they will soon be discharged.

An additional ray of domestic sunshine penetrated the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zurling, of south Central avenue yesterday afternoon by the advent of a handsome baby boy.

To visit relatives during vacation, Sylvester Kile went to Monterey, Ind., this morning.

Last night the delegates to the district Epworth League convention at Van Wert, with the Grace church choir society returned home. They all report an enjoyable time. Despite the sweltering heat there was a large attendance. The musical efforts of the choir society met with the entire approbation of the convention. Harry Thomas, of south Lima, was elected district president of the Epworth League, an honor which he as well as the south side may well feel proud of. W. H. Leatherman, of Grace church, was made a member of the executive committee.

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EXCURSION TO SOLDIERS' HOME AT DAYTON.

On Thursday, June 27th, the C. H. & D. Ry. will run a popular excursion to the Soldiers' Home, train leaving Lima at 5:30 a. m. Rate \$1.25; children half fare.

A Santa Barbara (Cal.) man has over 1,000 turtles, with which he expects to stock a "turtle ranch" in that country.

FOR SWEET CHARITY.

The Woman's Relief Corps will serve ice cream and cake, Saturday evening, June 29th, for ten cents, in the room formerly occupied by Jones' hardware store. Also lemonade.

SERVICES TONIGHT.

The ordinance of baptism will be administered tonight at the Wayne street church of Christ, following the prayer meeting. All are welcome.

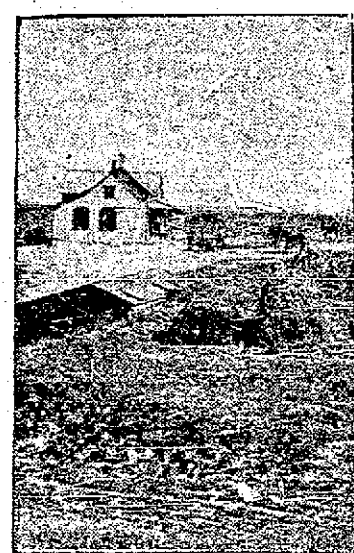
Small Wonder.

Flicker—What have you?
Flammer—Four acres; and you?
Flicker—Heart failure.—Ohio State Journal.

In Italy every commune with more than 800 inhabitants must have separate schools for boys and girls.



Railroad officials estimate that this year will see 200,000 new settlers in the northwest. The number of this year's settlers in the parts of the west too far south to be known as the northwest is still unestimated, but it amounts to a good many thousands. One immigration agent claims to have provided transportation for 75,000 immigrants between Feb. 12 and April 1 of this year. It is confidently predicted that the movement of people to the



TYPICAL PRAIRIE FARMHOUSE.

states of the west and northwest this year will be 60 per cent greater than last year.

Never before in the history of the country has there been so great an influx of settlers into the states of the west and northwest. Great numbers of them hail from the eastern section of the country, and still other large masses give as their former homes the middle west. Comparatively few of the newcomers are immigrants in the usual sense of that word—that is, folk from the other side of the Atlantic.

The people who are now taxing the transportation facilities of the railroads are for the most part Americans having two or three generations at least of Yankee ancestry. They are leaving their ancestral homes in the east and middle west, hoping to better themselves in the lands nearer the setting sun. That the most of them will succeed is probable, for they possess the sterling American characteristics of pluck, determination and cheerfulness.

It is an impressive sight to see the families moving to their new homes in the west, bearing with them their household goods, their farming implements and their live stock. Each head of a household seems to possess a sum of ready money, small in most cases, but sufficient to tide him and his over the period of waiting for the new farm to become remunerative.

The new style of immigrant is not a shiftless ne'er do well, who leaves his community for the good of the latter. He is a practical farmer, who realizes that the older states are becoming too crowded for his family. He wishes his



THE INEVITABLE WINDMILL.

sons and daughters to have a fair start in the great and promising west. His migration bears within itself a splendid augury for the future of the United States.

Not alone are the men of family in the unprecedented rush to the west. Young, strong and ambitious men are interspersed in plentiful numbers among the older ones. These are going west "to grow up with the country." In the usual course of procedure the

young man takes up a claim. Then he hires out to a farmer at day's wages and makes an agreement concerning the tilling of his own plot with a neighbor. The latter works it on shares. In a few years, by industry and hard work, the young man finds that he is able to work his farm himself, and from then on to prosperity the path is cleared.

Land for tilling purposes may be obtained from the government or from the railroads. Both are anxious to have the great tracts of country occupied by industrious farmers, and both will sell land on the most reasonable terms and at a low price. Go into any railroad office of the west and tell the officials that you are looking for a plot to settle on, and you will be received with open arms. They have no use, however, for the mere "boomer" or speculator in lots. He has already wrought too much mischief, and they refuse to sell land to him on any terms. But for the bona fide farmer they have a very high regard.

The land laws provide that a citizen or one who has declared his intention to become such who is not the proprietor of more than 160 acres of land in any state or territory can homestead 160 acres by filing his application and affidavit at the local land office and within six months thereafter commencing settlement and improvement, continuing the same for five years. The only first cost is the United States land office fees, which are from \$18 to \$22 for 160 acres. There are special provisions for honorably discharged soldiers or sailors. Unmarried women may take up land on the same terms as men if they are of age.

The price per acre of the government land is either \$1.25 or \$2.50, according to location. Settlers have five years to pay this, or they may, if they wish, secure actual title after 14 months instead of waiting. In either case the land must be paid for in cash, and the law requires proof of settlement, residence and cultivation. The terms are such as may be fulfilled by any energetic, hardworking man with any kind of good fortune. All the sons and daughters of a family who are of age may take up land under



A COLORADO STOCK RANCH.

the United States land laws. The railroads make almost as good terms as the government in disposing of the land owned by them.

It may be said that the timber business and mining are attracting many people. The majority of the classes mentioned, however, will go into timber only in clearing their farms. They are farmers first, last and all the time and intend to stick to the growing of cereals, fruit and other crops and the raising of cattle. Besides good, arable land, there is much that needs only the quickening touch of water to make it bloom like the rose. This will be supplied by irrigation. Land that needs irrigation can be bought more cheaply and to any one of a more speculative turn of mind offers perhaps a better field of investment.

"Go west, young man," remains as good advice for the right sort of young man as when Horace Greeley first gave it. Not only to the young man, but to the older one as well, farming in the west, with its immense possibilities, holds out the best sort of inducements. To the man or woman not afraid of hard work and with a small capital of ready cash to start on it offers a golden opportunity.

Fleas Are Great Fighters.
Fleas, taken as a whole, are very quarrelsome and are great fighters. When several are confined in a glass together, they fight incessantly, doing most of their battling by standing on their hind legs and striking their opponents with the others. In a big battle a half dozen of them may be seen rolling over and over each other, losing legs and antennae and at last giving up their lives in the struggle. There is a record of a flea which lived ten days after such an encounter with no antennae, three plates of his side broken in, one eye gone and with only four legs, and these cut off at the first joints.

Shakespeare and Marie Corelli.
Miss Marie Corelli is the literary lion of Stratford-on-Avon. She lives in a large and extremely pretty house, and it would be difficult to imagine a more desirable environment for literary work. Miss Corelli is very popular in Stratford, and there is little doubt that the great majority of its people are far better acquainted with "The Mighty Atom" than with "Hamlet."—London Mail.

Nerve Slavery

It is present-day conditions—heaping burdens of work upon the nervous system that tells the story—premature breaking up of health.

It tells why so many men and women, who so far as age is concerned, should be in the prime of health, find themselves feeling the weight of the power, the vitality they once possessed. It is because that great motor power of the body, nerve force, is impaired. Neither will the heart, the brain, the liver, the kidneys, the stomach act right without their proper nerve force supply. Let any organ be lacking in this essential and troubles begin—some of them are:

Stomach troubles, palpitations, heart.

Sleepless nights.

Sudden startings.

Stomach languor.

Brain fatigue.

Inability to work or think.

Excitation on exertion.

Flashing appetite.

Digestion slow.

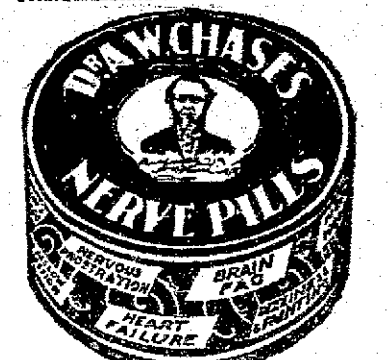
Foolishness.

Early excited, nervous, irritable.

Strength fails.

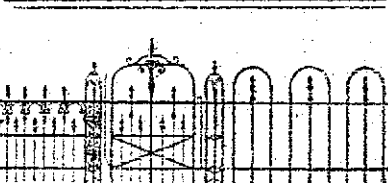
Loss of flesh and muscular power.

Serious melancholia.



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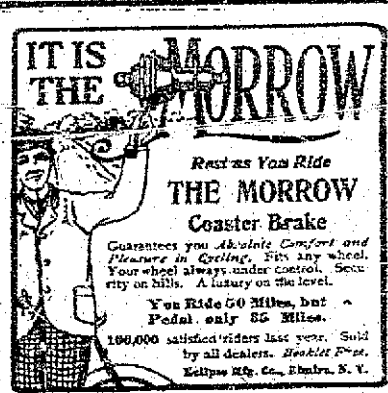


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Mr. Gezzet—Mrs. Grasswinder always married well, didn't she?
Miss Gabbagh—Yes, but she always divorced better. She has a saug little fortune in alimony now.

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A HOT JAB AT MARK.

The Philadelphia Record pays a left handed compliment to Mark Hanna in the following paragraph in which it contemptuously alludes to Mark as "a small beer in Ohio." The paragraph reads thus:

"The Nashites in Ohio are evidently in no haste to renew the partisan commission of their partisan chief as Republican nominee for Governor for a second term. But Nash will get there all the same, whether with or without the favor of Boss Hanna. The latter political maggot, although almost omnipotent in the back parlors of trust offices, seems to be rather small beer in his own party in his own state. Why is this thus?"

Up to June 1 last there had been filed in the pension office 37,095 applications for pensions on account of the Spanish-American war, and the list is being increased at the rate of about 1400 a month. While probably not more than one application in seven will be granted at the outset, experience has shown that persistence, political influence, changes in official practice and special legislation are powerful elements in expanding the pension roll, and the Spanish-American war contingent will scarcely expect to be less successful than earlier applicants have been in using and controlling these agencies. At the present time the aggregate of pensions on account of the war with Spain falls but little short of \$1,000,000 annually, distributed among about 5300 pensioners, two-thirds of whom are invalid soldiers. With the return of the volunteers from the Philippines there will be large accessions to the list of applications, since many of the troops who have served for two years on the islands will be permanently invalided. Annual depletions of the pension roll by the death of civil war veterans will be more than balanced for some years to come by accessions from a new generation of pensioners, so that no reduction of public expenditures on this account need be anticipated for at least a decade or two.

The Republicans are not a happy, contented lot over the work done by the delegates at the state convention at Columbus this week. The following paragraph from the stalwart Republican Delphos Courier evinces the feeling of most of the Republicans in the state except those who are at the pie counter. In commenting on the convention editor Walkup says:

This was of the usual modern out and dried kind, every important item having been settled beforehand by Hanna, Foraker, Dick and Cox. The thousand delegates merely said "me too." Nash was renominated but L. Gov. Caldwell had to go and was succeeded by one of the same kind, Judge Price, of Lima, got there on second ballot, for supreme judge. Foraker's keynote was "stand by the president," and don't forget to follow this ticket including your humble servant for a second term. Mark Hanna was there to move things just right, and didn't let anything get away. A few years ago Mark defeated Foraker for governor and bragged about it; now he bows the whole convention. And still they pretend to wonder why people get disgusted with his party. Why not, if kickers are thus rewarded?—Delphos Courier.

Since the action of the late Republican convention it is an undisputed fact that when Mark Hanna takes over the entire Republican party of Ohio en masse, he is the absolute owner of them all, and if anybody dares to say Mark is not "it," he is promptly driven out of the party.

Senator Aldrich is recruiting Republicans to fight under a banner inscribed, "No Reciprocity." To a man up a tree this looks like open revolt against Mr. McKinley's new tariff policy.

The Morgan-Hartman western railroad trust will be the biggest thing of its kind, with its 52,532 miles of railway, but nobody has dared to predict that it is going to be a good thing for its patrons.

You can't lose Colonel Waldorf. When he smelled the Crouse move he promptly dug Editor Locke out of the Cebra and set him up as a leader.—Toledo Bee.

WATERING STOCKS.

Indirect Way of Making the Public Pay Double Price.

One of the great evils of granting corporations franchises in nearly all the states is the lack of any provision to prevent an undue issue of stock, commonly known as "watered stock." The issuer of a vast amount of stock for which no money or value is paid is to overreach or defraud some one, either those whom the stock is sold to or to force the public—as in the case of the railroads—to pay extortionate rates, so that dividends can be paid on what is just so much paper. No state should allow any company to be incorporated that does not receive full value for all the stock or bonds issued. As the earnings of all corporations must come directly or indirectly from the public, they should be protected by the law from this indirect way of making them pay double toll on double capitalization.

The financing of the American locomotive combine furnishes a very good illustration of the way these things are done, says the Chicago Chronicle. The stock issued is \$25,000,000 7 per cent cumulative preferred and \$25,000,000 common. One share of the latter goes as a bonus with every share of the former subscribed for at \$110 per share. Assuming \$25,000,000 to be a fair capitalization on the basis of the earning power of the plants before consolidation, the other \$25,000,000 must be regarded as what is assumed to be the capitalized value of the mere combination over and above the original value of the property. The original owners got preferred stock to the full value of their property, with 7 per cent dividends, and all they can get for their common stock to an equal amount above \$10 a share is so much to the good. To judge from expressions of which the air was full not long ago, multitudes really believe that the mere act of combining properties was going to increase their earning power from 20 to 100 per cent or even more. Probably it is now seen that the foundations for such a belief were pretty frail.

THE PEOPLE STILL RULE.

Supreme Court Rules That Congress Alone Is the Governing Power.

As the decision of the supreme court in the Porto Rican cases has decided that congress alone is the governing power in our new territorial possessions, it is incumbent on the people to impress their senators and representatives before the next session with the kind of government the people of those territories are to have and if the constitution is to be extended to them the same as in Alaska and our other possessions. Shall they have the right to administer their own local government, the right of trial by jury and tax themselves for school and other purposes, as seems best to them? Speaking of the decision, the New York World says: Here are four facts which ought not to be overlooked:

First.—Five of the nine justices were opposed to the oriental expansion delusion—White, Fuller, Peckham, Harlan and Brewer. If White had not disagreed with the others as to the constitutional method of avoiding the expansion that contracts the vote of the court would have been reversed.

Second.—Eight of the nine justices dismissed the pet theory of the colonialists—the "extra constitutional" powers of the government whereunder the colonists could have been the political slaves of our officials instead of, as now, legally entitled to some of our constitutional rights.

Third.—The court put the responsibility squarely upon congress, so that congress will have to answer directly to the people for whatever is done in the colonies. There can be no playing of shuttlecock between the president, congress and the supreme court.

Fourth.—While the supreme court has held that the constitution does not forbid colonial expansion, it has not held that the constitution enjoins colonial expansion.

From the great question all factors are now eliminated except the political. The fundamental questions—Does it pay? Is it sensible? Is it just? Is it worthy of the beliefs and the aspirations of the people of the republic—can and must now be answered.

And if the people cannot answer these questions sensibly and justly how long would a constitutional bar have been effective to restrain them from self destruction? If the principles of the republic have departed from the people, if the only force or even if the chief force those high principles had was in a supposed constitutional restraint from justice and folly, then indeed is it excusable to tremble for the republic.

I'm very fond of camping out.

It really can't be beat.

For giving one an appetite.

With nothing fit to eat.

RECLAIMING A WASTE.

IRRIGATION DOING A GREAT WORK IN THE SOUTHWEST.

More Than a Million Acres Soon to Be Rendered Fertile—Date Growing and Cattle Raising Will Be Leading Industries of the Once Arid Region.

If it be true, as Dean Swift says, that whoever could make two blades of grass grow where only one grew before would do more essential service to his country than the whole race of politicians together, the men who are irrigating the great Colorado desert certainly deserve well of the citizens of the United States. A very large part of the American desert is to be irrigated and cultivated during the next two years for the first time since the dawn of authentic history.

Few people even in the southwest know or realize the magnitude of the irrigation work that is being done there. Irrigation is quietly being introduced on hundreds of thousands of acres of the most forbidding desert of America, the Colorado, that occupies a very large part of southern California, southwestern Arizona, southern Nevada and the Mexican state of Sonora. In southern California more than 500,000 acres are to be reclaimed by irrigation, while across the Colorado river in Arizona about 150,000 acres will be made fertile at the same time. Across the international line, in Mexico, there are 500,000 acres more.

Water for the great irrigation plan is to be taken from the Colorado river, which divides California and Arizona and then flows into Mexico. The Colorado preserves a continuous supply of water throughout the year, being at flood in June. It is estimated that it carries sufficient water for the irrigation of 8,000,000 acres. Unfortunately a great part of the Colorado's banks consists of cliffs, forming the world famous canyons. The Colorado desert

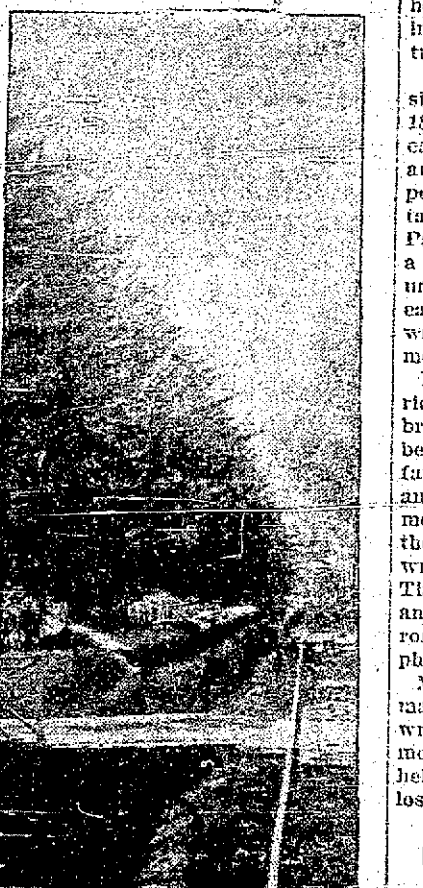


Photo by Wiggins, Los Angeles.

AN IRRIGATION CANAL, SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

and southwestern Arizona are the only places where water can be had from the stream for irrigation purposes. The chief single undertaking is the watering of 250,000 acres in California, which has just been accomplished. In this water finds its way through 50 miles of canal and many more of lateral ditches. Additional canals are being put in. So rapidly is the project being worked out that there is little doubt that it will be fully consummated within two or three years.

Only those who are conversant with the desolation of the desert reclaimed or to be irrigated can realize the transformation effected. Upon this desert it has been further between the sources of water than on the Sahara, and in furious sandstorms and weird mirages it is fully the equal of the African waste.

There was an international question to be met by the projectors of the great irrigation scheme. Naturally Mexico would never consent to the draining of the Colorado river, whose mouth lies within her domain. The company carrying out the plan secured harmony by undertaking to divide the territory to be irrigated evenly between the United States and Mexico.

It is not probable that the great irrigated tract will in any way come into competition with the fruit producing sections of southern California. There is no fruit, the date, for which the desert is perfectly adapted, and in the course of a few years an important new industry may be developed in this section. Dates are grown nowhere in the United States at present in commercial quantities. Tests made in the desert country have been successful, and many date palms are being planted.

The great value of this land, however, lies in its capacity for the production of alfalfa for stock feed. Throughout the southwest and northern Mexico there are tens of thousands of head of cattle on wild ranges which cannot be fattened there. These are taken to alfalfa growing sections to be fattened. But the supply of alfalfa ground has hitherto been limited. It is expected that hundreds of thousands of head of cattle will be either raised or brought to be fed on the farm desert, making of it one of the great cattle yards of the southwest.

A VOICE FROM THE TOMB.

More of Marie Bashkirtseff's Interesting Confessions Printed.

Once more Marie Bashkirtseff and her "confessions" are leading topics of interest in the literary world. The last of the "confessions" has just been issued in book form, and they are attracting almost if not quite as much attention as those which preceded them several years ago.

Readers familiar with the literary legends of 12 or 15 years ago scarcely



Photo by Watery, Paris.

MARIE BASHKIRTSEFF.

need be told who Marie Bashkirtseff was. To younger readers the name of the brilliant, erratic young Russian artist, scholar and authoress is not, however, very well known. Although she left no permanent impress on the world of art or letters, her diary, which reveals with fidelity the workings of her heart and mind, will always possess an interest for the student of human nature.

Marie Bashkirtseff was born in Russia in 1859 and died in Paris on Oct. 31, 1884. She was well born and well educated, possessing a knowledge of Greek and Latin as well as of the more important modern tongues. She was a talented painter and in 1878 went to Paris to study. In 1880 she exhibited a picture at the Salon, and from then until her untimely death she worked eagerly at her art. One of her pictures was purchased by the French government.

During her brief career in Paris Marie Bashkirtseff mingled with the brilliant life of that period and numbered among her acquaintances many famous people. She frequently wrote anonymous letters to famous literary men, and the charm and brilliance of the epistles induced those to whom she wrote to sustain the correspondence. The letters which passed between her and Guy de Maupassant, the brilliant romancer, form the most interesting phase of the last "confessions."

Marie Bashkirtseff was a genius in many ways, a painter, a musician, a writer and, above all, a woman of the most intense emotion. It may well be held, as it is by some, that the world lost much by her premature death.

HEAD OF RAILWAY MEN.

Career of the New President of the American Railway Association.

At the recent meeting of the American Railway association held in New York Albert W. Sullivan was honored with an election to the presidency. Mr. Sullivan's election is somewhat remarkable, as it was gained against the determined opposition of several candidates prominent in the railroad world. Mr. Sullivan succeeds Mr. L. F. Loree, recently elected president of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad.

The membership of the American Railway association is made up largely



Photo by Varney, Chicago.

ALBERT W. SULLIVAN.

ly of general managers and officers in charge of the operating departments of railroads. The association, which is very influential, devotes itself to the technical side of railroad work.

The new president of the American Railway association began his railroad career 30 years ago as an apprentice in the shops of the Illinois Central at Chicago. Later he became a draftsman, chief clerk of the machinery department and assistant superintendent of machinery. At 35 he was placed in charge of the operative work of the entire system and held the position of general superintendent for 20 years. Last year he was made assistant secretary and vice president of the road.

A HEADSTRONG PEER.

The Marquis of Headfort Holds That a Lieutenantcy Is Less Than Love.

Another of Britain's gay young peers has just defied the anger of his king and the opposition of his family by wedding an actress. This time it is the Marquis of Headfort, who has made the erstwhile Miss Rose Boote of London's far famed Gaiety theater his marchioness. Headfort is 23 years of age and his bride about the same or a trifle older. She is a very pretty young



Photo by Watery, Paris.

THE MARQUIS OF HEADFORT.

woman, which probably explains the infatuation of the young peer. In consequence of his marriage the Marquis of Headfort has handed in his resignation as lieutenant in the First Life guards of the British army. According to some accounts, the resignation was involuntary and was demanded by his brother officers because of what they call Headfort's misalliance.

Headfort's resignation marks the close of a spectacular army career. During his first year in the regiment the other officers, finding him very bumptious and big headed, administered to him a good, old fashioned spanking. Instead of curing him it only made him more insufferable, and he has figured in a number of other escapades.

The Marquis of Headfort is head of the Taylor family, one of the highest in the United Kingdom. He is a marquis, an earl, a viscount and a baron, all in the peerage of Ireland. He has also the title of baron in the United Kingdom.

The new Marchioness of Headfort is a winsome little woman, who has gained considerable notice on the London stage as a singer and dancer. She appeared in New York a few years ago.

Headfort and his marchioness are staying for the present on their Irish estates. The tenantry has taken a great liking to the new mistress, who is herself a native of the Emerald Isle. In a short time they will go to London to see whether society will accord to the Marchioness of Headfort the position to which her husband's honors entitle her.

SOCIETY TO THE STAGE.

Another Young New Yorker Leaves Drawing Room For Theater.

In the company supporting Miss Elsie De Wolfe next season is to be Miss Georgiana Pitcher. Miss Pitcher is another of the clever young women who



Photo by Rockwood, New York.

MISS GEORGIANA PITCHER.

have left the ranks of "society" to go on the stage. She and her parents are well known in New York society.

The new recruits to the ranks of society actresses is very ambitious of his- toric fame and to gain preliminary experience took a minor position with one of the successes of the late New York season. She has often appeared successfully in amateur theatricals.

Drowned in a Spring.

Lancaster, O., June 27.—Birdie Thompson, 30, a domestic and weak-minded, was found with her head and shoulders submerged in Mithoff's spring, a lonely spot a mile from the city, near which she had been seen early Monday evening by some boys. She had evidently been in the water since Monday evening. It is believed she fell into the water in an epileptic attack, to which she was subject, or that she committed suicide, as she had been heard to say she would kill herself some time.

Deathbed Confession.

Vinita, I. T., June 27.—George Williams on his deathbed confessed to being an accomplice in the murder last September at Pryor Creek, R. T., of T. E. Smith and Green Smith of Sweden, Mo. Williams also implicated William Nichols of Vinita, William G. Smith and Lon Smith of Pryor Creek and John Smith, the latter now serving a term in the Kansas state penitentiary for cattle-stealing. Nichols and the two first named Smiths were arrested.

General Gomez Coming.

Havana, June 27.—General Maximo Gomez called for New York by way of Tampa, Fla., accompanied by the private secretary of Governor General Wood. The purpose of the general's visit to the United States, it is said, is to confer with Dr. Thomas Estrada Palma, the former delegate in the United States of the revolutionary government of Cuba.

Frightened Away by Strikers.

Thacker, W. Va., June 27.—Several shots were fired by strikers at non-union miners who were attempting to enter the Maritime mines. The non-union men were compelled to abandon the attempt to enter the mines. No officers are on duty now in the coal field, but a large force of deputy United States marshals is expected.

Ohio Soldier Wed.

San Antonio, Tex., June 27.—Captain John Morgan of the Twelfth United States cavalry and Miss Anita LeBaron Keller, daughter of the late Charles Keller, United States army, were married at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio. He is a native of Ohio and the bride of Pennsylvania.

Jamaica Wants Some Beers.

Kingston, Jamaica, June 27.—The chamber of commerce adopted a resolution asking the governor of Jamaica, Sir Augustus Hemming, to request the imperial authorities to send 3,000 beer prisoners to the island. Jamaica offers many and great advantages for farming.

Child Killed by Lightning.

Gallipolis, O., June 27.—During an electrical storm in the north end of the county the 7-year-old daughter of Clark Boatman was struck by lightning and instantly killed. Crops were badly damaged.

The Weather.

For Ohio—Fair; light southerly winds.

TO THE POINT.

News of the Four Quarters Presented in Popular Form.

Mrs. McKinley able to get out for a drive.

Senator Depew sailed for Europe for the summer.

Curlew law of Nebraska declared unconstitutional.

Stockholders of Missouri Pacific road increased capital to \$30,000,000.

Standard Oil tank at Preble, Ind., containing 50,000 barrels, struck by lightning and exploded.

While working in a field William Hues and son of near Charlotte, N. C., were killed by flash of lightning.

Breaker at Delaware and Hudson No. 2 mine at Wilkesbarre, Pa., burned. Loss \$100,000. Four men missing.

Two men fatally and three seriously injured by collapse of scaffolding at Sells-McClelland mine, Brazil, Ind.

Chicago and Northwestern passenger train collided with switch engine at Elroy, Wis., and 18 passengers were injured.

Frank C. Forrest and Louise Strothoff, lovers who quarreled, found dead on highway near Quincy, Ill. Both were shot. Not known who did the shooting.

That Sotted King on the Hiss bottle.

Who ever knew of a milk bottle to have a ring of creaminess left when a dishcloth on the end of a fork could reach it? That ring always gets settled just at the one unapproachable spot. It's the same way with glass vases that are used for flowers. The smaller the neck of the vase the more fondness does the glass show for that deposit left by the decay of the stems. This is easily removed by powdered pumice stone applied with a small bit of cloth on the end of a stick, provided the stick and cloth can reach it. A little hydrochloric acid diluted in about eight times its own bulk of water is very good for removing deposits that are outside the range of an inserted stick, but be careful not to put your fingers into the acid; concludes the New York Sun.

How to French.

Daity desks for my lady are little germs of golden oak which, harmonize with any of the light wood schemes of boudoir decoration.

Exclusive and odd pieces for hall, library or parlor are in antique shapes and old finish.

Fashionable woods in bedroom suits are bird's eye maple, birch, oak and mahogany.

Brass bedsteads and enameled bedroom suits, either plain or decorated, remain good style.

Enameled iron bedsteads satisfy all the requirements of utility and attractive appearance.

YOU CAN CURE IT.

A New Cure for Catarrh in Tablet Form.

The old time treatment for catarrh was in the form of douches or sprays; later on, internal remedies were given with greater success, but being in liquid or powdered form, were inconvenient and were open to the same objection to all liquid remedies, that is, that they lose whatever medicinal power they may have had on exposure to the air.

The tablet is the ideal form in which to administer medication, but until recently no successful catarrh tablet had ever been attempted.

At this writing, however, a most excellent and palatable remedy for catarrh has been placed before the public and sold by druggists, called Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, composed of the most recent discoveries in medicines for the cure of catarrh, and results from their use have been highly gratifying.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets contain principally highly concentrated antiseptics, which kill the catarrh germs in the blood and mucous membranes, and in this respect are strictly scientific and modern, as it has been known for some years past by the wisest physicians that the most successful catarrh treatment was by inhaling or spraying antiseptics.

The use of inhalers, douches and sprays, however, is a nuisance and inconvenience, and moreover can be so compared with the same remedies given in tablet form, either in efficacy or convenience.



Photo by Watery, Paris.

A clerk in a prominent insurance office in St. Petersburg relates his experience with Stuart's Catarrh Tablets in a few words but to the point. He says:

"Catarrh has been almost constantly with me for eight years; in this climate it seems impossible to get rid of it. I awoke every morning stuffed up and for the first half hour it was cough, gag, expectorate and sneeze before I could equate myself for my day's work; no appetite and a foul breath which annoyed me exceedingly."

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Druggists sell Stuart's Catarrh Tablets at 50 cents for full sized package. They can be carried in the vest pocket and used at any time and as often as necessary. Guaranteed free from cocaine, mercury or any mineral poison; absolutely safe.

A Family Affair.

Columbia, S. C., June 27.—It is reported from Holly Springs, Oconee county, that the Rev. Patrick Chambers was killed there by his son-in-law, Daniel Roach, as the result of a quarrel over family affairs.

Molten Metal Exploded.

Saleno, O., June 27.—Almon B. Orr, 33, employed by the Buckeye Engine company, was fatally burned by the explosion of a blast of molten metal. He leaves a wife.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Results of the Games Played in the Several Leagues.

NATIONAL.

CLUBS. W. L. P. C. CLUBS. W. L. P. C. Phila. . . 31 20 .608 Phila. . . 27 25 .519 N. Y. . . 24 20 .545 Bos. . . 24 23 .511 Brook. . . 28 24 .538 Chic. . . 21 28 .429 St. L. . . 20 25 .444 Chic. . . 19 36 .343

At Boston—Boston 2, St. Louis 2.

At New York—New York 6, Cincinnati 2.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn 16, Pittsburgh 3.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 6, Chicago postponed, yet undecided.

AMERICAN.

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At Columbus—Columbus 5, Indianapolis 1.

At Fort Wayne—Fort Wayne 0, Wheeling 3.

At Dayton—Dayton 1, Louisville 2.

At Toledo—Toledo 1, Marion 1; awarded to Toledo in sixth inning, 9 to 0, on Marlon's objection to umpire's decision.

Yacht Winners.

At Newport

LINE

From This City to
Cornelia

Now in Charge

the New Official,
Supt. Gleason,

Has Taken Up the New
Headquarters of the D.
S. at Jackson.

Damage Done to
the Southern Division
by the Recent Storms—
Railroad News.

Verification of the exclusive
in the Times-Democrat con-
the change being made on the
Southern is the following dis-
from Jackson, O.

division headquarters of the
Southern railroad were removed
city today. Superintendent
of the C. P. & V. is in
and will operate the road
to Cornelia, a distance of
miles. The train dispatchers
of this division are also now in
charge. Chief Dispatcher Beck
James. Several clerks with
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Hand of the Big Four
fully the hand of the Big Four
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Central Northern. Recent
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in the near future of that
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to report on matters in
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at E. Jefferson and the com-
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on an special train over
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May Report.
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A Scoop on the Interviewer.

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For the Fairy Dell Puts a Rival On

Who Escaped the Spell of the Queen and Didn't Forget What He Saw.

Commencement Exercises and Operetta Attending Close of St. Rose School was a Splendidly Arranged Affair.

It is not said with the intention of suggesting a sphere before the footlights, but there was so much of the professional in the presentation of the operetta which closed the commencement exercises of St. Rose parochial school last night, that one may be pardoned in saying that the principal characters would have added credit to almost any performance, at least in the capacity of understudies. Interest naturally centered in the six graduates, and to them especially is due the attention which their positions of honor demand, but, taking the commencement exercises of St. Rose as a whole, it is no exaggeration to say that last night's entertainment at Fairrot's opera house, has never been surpassed by the efforts of Lima amateurs.

The audience which packed the house will support that strong assertion with one voice, and join in the generous applause of the spectators and the press. Credit given where credit is due and to those who have been tireless in their efforts to bring about such a state of absolute perfection, must be tendered a share of the congratulations. As a scheme of entertainment to future classes, it was moved and commendatory for its very novelty. There was not a tiresome movement from the time of the early curtain until the final tableau, and those who occupied the standing room were practically compelled, through personal interest, to remain until the pretty plot had unraveled and released the hero from his attending difficulties.

The early part of the evening was the pot pourri of essays, music and complimentary remarks which are indispensable upon such occasions, and all who assisted in doing honor to the graduates may take unto themselves a generous share of the public approbation. The evening's program, beginning with the sacred chorus as sung by the senior class, was not a lengthy one, as "The Interviewer," an operetta in three parts, was to be an aftermath of considerable length and it was not the intention to bring the audience to a state of fatigue. But the expectation of the appearance of gnomes and faeries did not detract from the program and each number was applauded with a heartiness that was thoroughly sincere. Three of the six graduates responded with essays, the subjects of which carried out the one idea of patriotism and love for the adopted country, "America." Miss Elizabeth Margaret Hammon was the first to respond and her essay was a tribute to the heroes and statesmen who have helped as warriors and men of letters to fashion of government of which America is proud. Miss Amy Loretto O'Connor carried out the same trend of thought in her review of America literature, and for originality her essay deserves especial mention. The awakening came after years of patient toil in fighting and hewing the way to the establishment of the grandest country on the globe. Since then America, beginning with Benjamin Franklin and Jonathan Edwards has advanced to the front rank in the world of literature, and such names as Longfellow, William Cullen Bryant, Whitier, and many others have their names recorded in the temple of fame. Miss O'Connor's essay was closed with a finale of poetical excellence. The combination of thought which was the basis of the two preceding essays was summed up in Miss Delphine Mary Dunn's essay, America, and her composition of the land of the free and the home of the brave, with the ancient and modern worlds across the seas was charming in its conception.

It is not surprising that Rev. A. E. Manning who presented the diplomas should be visibly affected. His remarks were necessarily brief for that very reason, but he left the imprint of his wholesome advice on the members of his class and his strong

statement that while the creed of his people and love for their God was implanted in their lives from the beginning, they were not to be classed as foreigners, but Americans for America.

The presentation of the diplomas was carried out in pretty fashion, each of the graduates receiving her honors from the hands of a little girl dressed in white and carrying a bouquet of beauty roses. A diploma was also presented to Daniel McKerran, who earned his laurels although giving up the course some weeks before its close in order to accept a position which promises future advancement.

The fantastic drill in which fifty-two score of little girls and boys took part was one of the best features of the evening and the recitation, "The Three Little Students" by Alfred Mulcahey, George Shanahan and Fred Simons provoked a storm of applause. The musical features, in addition to the fine work of Prof. Griffin's orchestra, were an overture on two pianos, rendered by Misses Louretta Lony, Carrie Collins, Anna Finn and Clara Fitzgibbons, which was finely executed; a selection on violins, mandolins and piano by the Cecilian club and the piano accompaniment by Rose McCray and Francis Murphy during the children's drill. All denoted the thoroughness of the teaching the young people have received.

It may not be wise to discriminate where all did so well, but there are deserving of especial mention those who took the leading parts in the operetta, "The Interviewer." Kline Spellacy, who may be termed the hero, (for even an ordinary reporter may be a hero some times), surprised everybody. As "The Interviewer" he had a difficult part to perform, decidedly so for the work of an amateur, but he met the situations like a professional and covered the continuous surprises heaped upon him with an ease that was little short of astonishing for one of his years and experience. He was aided greatly in his acting by Miss Carrie Collins, as "Sonnie, Queen of Dreamland," who had the confidence and grace of a graduate in the art of acting, and the two were the center pieces around whom clustered the minor situations and characters of the interesting play. Young Spellacy had much of the libretto for his share, but there were no stumbling blocks and his speech, which was at all times in verse, showed none of the monotonous sing-song of the average beginner.

There was also need of good voice, as an operetta implies, and both Miss Collins and Mr. Spellacy sang their parts equally as well as they carried out the difficult situations of the play. They were perfectly at home in the face of that large audience and hesitation and nervousness were elements foreign to both. In fact there was no such thing as stage fright apparent during the entire performance, and there was possibly less in Master Emmet Lawlor than any one. As skipper, the colored office boy, he was a mischievous pickaninny of the first water, and while his antics and pranks were many he did not overdo his part.

Miss Catharine Cooney, as the Queen of the Fairies, was elegantly costumed and she carried out her part with the dignity which the character demanded. Miss Breta Gorman as "Madam Blue," the Editha, left no room for improvement. She had a character which she put force into and made it stand out boldly as one of the most important in the strong cast. Miss Florence Gallagher, as "Stella," one of the fairies, had a speaking part which offered splendid opportunities and she also won her share of the laurels.

All of the minor characters, including the fairies and gnomes, the four staff reporters and lady typesetters, gave the needed support to the principals, and helped in their way to make the operetta one of the most successful affairs ever attempted by local amateurs.

Live Stock Markets.

Chicago, June 27.—Cattle \$5.90, steady; hogs 22.00, active; sheep 13.00, steady.

Victims of Peru Wreck.

Indianapolis, June 27.—Following is the list of dead resulting from the wreck at Peru: Luigi Benini, New York; five Italian men, names unknown; two Italian women, names unknown; three Italian infants; Mrs. Mattie Cruise, wife of Joe Cruise of New York who was injured; Miss Fannie Muhloic, sister to John Muhloic of New York who was slightly injured. The list of injured enumerates fully 50 passengers and railway employees.

Arpin Lost His Suit.

San Juan, P. R., June 27.—The test case of Arpin of Grand Rapids, Mich., against Valdez, has been decided by Judge Holt of the United States district court in favor of Valdez. Arpin contended that the council had granted a franchise for water power. The court holds that the council has exclusive authority in such matters. Arpin will appeal to supreme court. To develop the water power and bring the current to San Juan will cost \$500,000.

HOLY

Bonds of a Sacred Wedlock

Are Entwined

Around the Hearts of a Happy Pair

Who Kneelt Before the Altar in St. Rose Church This Morning.

Miss Agnes O'Connor Becomes the Charming Bride of Mr. George Eckert—Bride and Groom Depart for Buffalo.

This morning another pretty bridal was blessed at St. Rose Church and before the appointed hour, eight o'clock, a goodly number of relatives and friends assembled to witness the glad affair. The Cecilian choir, with their sweet voices added much to the beauty of the service, which opened with the wedding march from Lohengrin, Miss Mae A. O'Connor, a niece of the bride, presiding at the organ, playing at intervals "The Flower Song" and "Hearts and Flowers". The altar was decked with June roses, pink being the predominating hue, with a green background formed of palms. The altar boys here were Patrick O'Brien and Michael O'Connor. The officiating priest was Rev. Jas. B. Mooney and before him knelt the bride, Agnes O'Connor and the groom, Mr. George W. Eckert, who exchanged their solemn vows and were united in holy wedlock by the impressive Nuptial High Mass service of the Roman Catholic church. The bride wore a handsome toilette of pure white Duchess chiffon over white tulle, shirred flounce, with lace trimming, finished with belt and stock of pearls. Her beautiful bridal veil was festooned with a diamond brooch, the gift of her brother, Mr. Bernard O'Connor. In her hand a white prayer book was carried by the bride.

Her brides maid was Miss Mayme Cunningham, who was dressed in a gown of lemon colored point de sere, her bouquet being lovely yellow roses and her hat a large black Gainsborough. The best man was Mr. Frank Klatte. As the bride party left the altar the organ played forth the triumphant music of Mendelssohn's wedding march. Immediately after the ceremony the immediate relatives and the bridal party enjoyed an excellent breakfast served in five courses by caterer Roy McGee, of this city, at the home of the bride's mother Mrs. Sarah O'Connor, of north Elizabeth street.

The tables were adorned with a profusion of roses and an immense brides cake occupied the center of the bride's table. The happy young couple are very popular among their legion of friends, were the recipients of a grand display of very costly and beautiful wedding gifts. An excellent breakfast at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Sarah O'Connor, of north Elizabeth street. The young couple departed at noon today for Detroit to go from there to Buffalo and other places of interest for a ten days tour. Upon their return they are to reside with the bride's mother for the present.

The bride is a most estimable young woman, who has many warm friends who will hope that fortune will favor them throughout a long life of usefulness. The groom is the son of Mr. C. H. Eckert, general director for J. E. Grosjean, and is an excellent young man, who is highly esteemed by all of his acquaintances.

No need to fear sudden attacks of cholera infantum dysentery, diarrhoea or summer complaint, if you have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in the medicine chest.

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Energy all gone? Headache? Stomach out of order? Simply a case of torpid liver. Burdock Blood Purifiers will make a new man or woman of you.

STANDARD

In for More Anti-Trust Law Trouble.

Some of the Texans Believe They Have a Case.

Considerable Damage Done in the Oil Field South of Delphos by the Storm of Tuesday Evening.

An effort is to be made to prosecute the Standard Oil company for alleged violation of the Texas trust law, says a dispatch from Austin. The County Attorney of Jefferson county is collecting evidence of these alleged violations and facts relating to the operation of the company in the Beaumont oil field, which he asserts he will lay before the Attorney General, with a view of having proceedings instituted against the company. The nature of these allegations are not known here. It is believed that the Attorney General, C. K. Bell, will decline to take charge of the cases, as it has already been demonstrated that the antitrust law is practically ineffective when it comes to prosecutions of this character.

Tore Up the Oil Field.

The storm Tuesday night did considerable damage in the oil field. Of fifteen derricks in the field, four miles south of Delphos, only one is left standing. The storm came from the north at 7 p. m. and passed over Delphos without doing any damage. Clover, wheat and oats sustained heavy damage. The heavy crops were leveled to the ground and it is doubtful if it can be straightened up again. The loss to the grain will come in the cutting. Several oil derricks were toppled over on the Elmer and Grot-house farms, and farther south, towards Spencerville, the hail was so heavy that some of the wheat was plucked and ruined. It is said that hail stones as large as walnuts fell for a short time.

THREE

Events for Tomorrow's Matinee Races

And Some Spirited Heats are Promised.

No Admission Will be Charged and the Long Delays Between Will be Greatly Avoided.

The second event under the auspices of the Lima Matinee club will occur tomorrow afternoon at the fair grounds, and the public is again invited free of charge. There will be three events and the heats will be alternated as to bring out the horses with but as little delay as possible. It takes some time to cool the speedsters off properly between heats but under this arrangement much of the usual delay will be avoided.

The program offers the following: 2:30 pace, club event.

Directo. b g.....L. F. Ellis
Mand K. b m.....J. H. Blattenberg
Reimager. b g.....Horace Mann
Roller Wilkes, br g.....Jas. Cheuvront
Green trot, club event.

Bottle Stark, ch m.....J. C. Cronley
Al. br g.....A. D. Miller
Emma S. b m.....Frank Sieber
2:35 trot, club event.

Chub. b m.....J. C. Linneam
Frank Irvington, b h.....D. J. Cable
Kate D. ch m.....D. J. Cable
Starmonia, blk m.....W. A. Snyder
Free-for-all pace, special event.

Martha, br g. 1:12.....J. R. Sinclair
Lena Hill, blk m.....W. A. Snyder

RUTHVEN

Breaks Down Upon Nearing His Midnight Death.

Prayer Meeting Held in the Condemned Prisoner's Cell at the Penitentiary Today.

Columbus, June 27.—Ed. Ruthven, the condemned murderer, after stubbornly refusing all religious consolation, broke down today, and asked to be prayed for. A prayer meeting was held by colored brethren in his cell at the penitentiary and he now says he is now prepared to die bravely in the chair tonight at midnight.

Scald head is an eczema of the face. It can be cured. Doan's Ointment, quick and permanent in its results. At any drug store, 50 cents.

INJUNCTION

Suit Against the Lake Erie Road.

Objections Made to Another Long Switch

Contemplated to Connect With the Moore Bros. Wholesale House—Another Divorce Suit Docketed.

Theodore Feist is the plaintiff in an injunction suit filed this afternoon, in which the L. E. & W. railroad company is defendants. Mr. Feist protests against the laying of an another switch across Market street intended to connect with Moore Bros. new wholesale grocery.

Argument Postponed.
The argument on the motion for a new trial in the Clem. Dickman case, which was set for yesterday afternoon has been postponed until Monday. The conclusion was reached after Judge Armstrong had a conference with the attorneys.

Drunkness the Charge.
There have been four divorce suits filed in Common Pleas Court within the past week with the now frequent indelible "Don't Publish" mark attached, but yesterday afternoon a new page of the appearance docket disclosed divorce case No. 5, which has no private mark attached.

The plaintiff is Laura B. Niles and seeks a separation from Albert H. Niles on the grounds of habitual drunkenness and extreme cruelty. There are no allegations of brutality on the part of the husband, the cruelty being confined to a failure to provide the wife with either clothing or food. The marriage occurred at West Milton on the 12th of March, 1882, and the plaintiff alleges that for the past 10 years she has had to provide for her own support. She adds that the defendant has been habitually drunk for the past three years. Henderson & Sprague filed the petition.

County treasurer Gensel went to Delphos yesterday for the purpose of collecting taxes and took up his headquarters at the Commercial bank. He is being assisted by Frank Drathman.

THE IDLER.

Gus Miller Was There Too.

Boss Hanna was no more important in the Republican state convention at Columbus than was officer Gus. Miller of this city. Gus and his indispensable Gainsborough, but were there just as strong as Uncle Marcus for Gus was on duty in his usual role as a guardian of the public. He was picked up by Col. Geo. P. Waldorf and appointed an assistant sergeant at arms in the convention hall.

A Handsome Piece of Work.

C. W. Wulst, the well known contractor recently completed, at the home of Elmer Mitchell on west Market street, one of the most handsome pieces of cement work in the city, the walk and wide steps leading from the street to the residence being constructed of the material used by Mr. Wulst. Since the latter has been contracting for such work in Lima, cement walks and steps have become very popular.

Leslie, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Draper met with a painful accident last night about 7:30 o'clock. The child was on a wagon and lost his balance. The fall resulted in the breaking of the left arm at the elbow and Dr. Steiner was called to reduce the fracture.

Hanna Increases Wages.

Cleveland, June 27.—The Cleveland City Railway company, better known as the Little Consolidated system, of which Senator Hanna is president, announced that the wages of all conductors and motormen who have been in the service of the company two years or more will be advanced, to take effect within a few days. Details of the proposed increase have not been made public.

Stoner Released.

Chicago, June 27.—Warren Stoner, who was arrested Monday on a charge of attempting to obtain money or credit on alleged worthless drafts, was discharged in police court. In Stoner's possession were found blank drafts on a Kansas bank which proved to be fictitious, but no wrongdoing could be proved against defendant.

Fictitious Loans Alleged.

Cleveland, June 27.—The affairs of the Cuyahoga Savings and Banking company, which are being investigated, do not show favorable results for the depositors, in a statement Edwin Hale, the acting receiver, said the cashier of the bank, the late R. N. Pollock, had made alleged loans to fictitious firms and persons.

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GRACE

Church Gets the Next Convention.

A Two Days' Session Has Closed at Van Wert.

And President Harry Thomas is Again Chosen as the Head Official of the Epworth League in District.

The Epworth League of Lima District Methodist Episcopal church, a body organized at Van Wert, some twelve years ago, has closed its annual convention at the First Methodist church, in that town. Between three and four hundred delegates were present, says the Bulletin, to participate in the exercises as representatives of the different chapters, to take part in the ceremonies of business and social interest, to promote the welfare of the organization and to help others attain the highest, new testament standard of experience and life. The opening session occurred Tuesday afternoon, with President Harry Thomas, of Lima, in the chair. Sacraments of the Lord's Supper was administered by Rev. J. M. Mills, Presiding Elder. A praise service conducted by J. C. Roberts, of Wapakoneta, participated in by one hundred and forty-eight speakers, followed.

The following committees were appointed:

Resolutions—W. H. Leathman, Lima; Della Hadsell, Lima; Bertha Poling, Allentown.

Temperance—P. P. Pope, Van Wert; Leonard Phumphy, Celina; Harriet Benton, Van Wert.

Auditing—D. E. Agler, Van Wert; G. A. Harrett, Lima.

Nomination—J. M. Mills, Lima; H. F. Jewett, Ft. Recovery; Mame Foster, Van Wert; Agnes Hellworth, Celina; J. F. Harshbarger, St. Marys; Elizabeth Poling, Allentown.

Epworth Herald—W. H. Leathman, Lima; Florence Elbert, Van Wert; Missions—Rilla Poe, Van Wert; Juliette Wilcox, Daisy Lucas, Wapakoneta.

Executive Committee—Rev. J. M. Mills, Lima; Rev. W. H. Leathman, Lima; Rev. J. F. Harshbarger, St. Marys.

Press Reporters—W. H. Leathman, Epworth Herald; Mame Foster, Van Wert Daily Bulletin.

The session of yesterday opened with a sunrise meeting, attended by one hundred and fifty delegates. At the morning session the nominating committee filed the appended report which was unanimously adopted:

President—Harry Thomas, Lima.

First Vice-President—L. Phumphy, Celina.

Second Vice-President—Daisy Lucas, Wapakoneta.

Third Vice-President—Della Hadsell, Lima.

Fourth Vice-President—Ella Peltier, Delphos.

Corresponding Secretary—Mame Foster, Van Wert.

Recording Secretary—Caroline Schalenberg, St. Marys.

Treasurer—Gus Lockhead, Delphos.

Junior Superintendent—Cynthia Newcomb, Celina.

The convention voted to hold the next meeting at Grace church, Lima.

LIFE.

The poet's exclamation: "O Life! I feel the bounding in my veins," is a joyous one. Persons that can rarely or never make it, in honesty to themselves, are among the most unfortunate. They do not live, but exist; for to live implies more than to be. To live is to be well and strong—to arise feeling equal to the ordinary duties of the day, and to retire not overcome by them—to feel life bounding in the veins. A medicine that has made thousands of people, men and women, well and strong, has accomplished a great work, bestowing the richest blessings, and that medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. The weak, run-down or debilitated, from any cause, should not fail to take it. It builds up the whole system, changes existence into life, and makes life more abundant. We are glad to say these words in its favor to the readers of our columns.

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ROAD NOTICE.

Revised Statutes, Secs. 4634, 41. Notice is hereby given that a petition will be presented to the commissioners of Allen county, at their next session, September A. D. 1901, praying for the location of a county road on the following line, to-wit: Beginning at the northwest corner of section fourteen (14) town four (4) south range four (4) east, Allen county, Ohio, in center of the Williams road, running thence south of the section line between sections four (4) and fifteen (15) one half mile (1/2) and thence east on the half section line of said section fifteen (15) and thence terminate.

J. R. HANCE, Petitioner.

June 25, A. D. 1901.